

MISS VIRGINIA GRANE

**Tells How Hospital Physician
Use and Rely upon Lydia E
Pinkham's Vegetable Com
pound.**

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Twelve years continuous service at the bedside in some of our prominent hospitals, as well as at private homes, has given me varied experiences with the diseases of women. I have nursed some



MISS VIRGINIA GRANES,
President of Nurses' Association, Watertown, N.Y.
most distressing cases of inflammation
and ulceration of the ovaries and womb.
I have known that doctors used Lydia
E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-
pound when everything else failed

"Four years ago I had falling of the womb from straining in lifting a heavy patient, and knowing of the value of your Compound I began to use it at once, and in six weeks I was well once more, and have had no trouble since."

I am most pleased to have had an opportunity to say a few words in praise of your Vegetable Compound, and shall take every occasion to recommend it."—
MISS VIRGINIA GRANT.—\$5000 forfeit if

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has stood the test of time, and has cured thousands. Mrs. Pinkham advises sick women free. Address, Lynn, Mass.

Sunday Excursions
 **\$1.25** **SPRINGFIELD, ILL.,**
And Return.
 Reservations subject to immediate notice.

ALTON
ROAD
LEAVING CITY

SUNDAY, SEPT. 14th,
—via—
CHICAGO & ALTON RY.

Tickets good going on train leaving St. Louis
8:04 a. m. Sunday, Sept. 14th, and returning
train leaving Springfield at 7 p. m. same day.
Ticket Offices, Sixth and Olive and Union
Station.

OLD HERMIT IS FOUND DEAD.
John Brant Lived Alone in Cabin
for Forty Years.

PUBLIC SPECIAL.
Mattoon, Ill., Sept. 9.—John Brant, an odd character who has lived a hermit's life in a cabin near Shelbyville for the last forty years, was found dead in his cabin yesterday.
He was 71 years old and had never been married. Heart failure is supposed to have

FUNERAL OF PROFESSOR VIRCHOW.
Men of World-Wide Fame Attend Services at Berlin.
Berlin, Sept. 9.—The city of Berlin to-day

The body of Professor Virchow a general worthy of a great scientist. The town hall was profusely decorated with laurels, palms and flowers, and the assembly-room of the Magistracy, where the services were held, was most lavishly decorated. Among other persons of world-wide reputation in the audience were Theodora

The hall was nearly filled by university professors and City Councilmen in their golden chains of office. Around the sides and in the rear stood deputations from stu-

JOHN SCOTT.
Formerly Identified With

PUBLIC SPECIAL.
 Bath, Me., Sept. 9.—John Scott, orator, lawyer and politician, died at his home here today after a week's illness with typhoid fever, aged 51 years. He was a graduate Bowdoin College in 1870, but removed to

He returned to Maine, was elected to the legislature and for years was one of the best men of the Democratic party. He was a delegate-at-large to the Democratic National Convention in 1896, seconding the

A. J. FRALRY.
PUBLIC SPECIAL.
Murphysboro, Ill., Sept. 2.—A. J. Fralry of
and Ridge Township died last night. He
was 75 years old and had been sick two

ANDREW J. LAURENTH.
PUBLIC SPECIAL.
Lebanon, Mo., Sept. 2.—Andrew J. Lam-
enth, aged 25 years, son of W. F. Lam-
enth of Dry Glaze, died at noon to-day
of appendicitis.
RICHARD DREW.

PUBLIC SPECIAL.
Marshall. Mo., Sept. 2.—Richard Drew, aged 78 years, a farmer, died here to-day.

LEVY BOYD.

PUBLIC SPECIAL.
Centralia, Mo., Sept. 3.—Levy Boyd, aged years, died to-day at his home here.

W. C. ANDERSON.
Newport, Tenn., Sept. 2.—W. C. Anderson,
who was Congressman from the First Dis-

VAN HORN NOMINATED.
Republican Candidate for Congress in
the Fifth District.

Confederate Soldier Killed.

Port Worth, Tex., Sept. 2.—This evening about 8 o'clock Sam J. Darcey, aged 45, former member of the Second Texas Composite Infantry, was run down at the nineteenth street crossing and instantly killed. His body was mangled. He was noted for his kindly, gentle nature. He lost

arm at the battle of Murphysboro.

Post Office Site in Aberyane.
PUBLIC SPECIAL.
Washington, Sept. 2.—Supervising Archi-
Taylor has decided to send another
ector to look into the question of a site

ETROIT, MICH.—The steam barge
lighten sank at her dock. Two of the
were drowned in their berths.

ears the
signature
of *Chas. H. Fletcher*